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Re; Appl. No. 09/614,355
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Examiner Dexter:

Enclosed is the Reply to the Miscellaneous Action.

Thank you,

Michael J. Schmidt

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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Sir:

In response to the Miscellaneous Action mailed December 28, 2001, Paper No. 9, please consider the following.

Applicant has reviewed the clean version of the claims filed on October 9, 2001 and believe them to be accurate. Applicant also reviewed the "Attachment for Claim Amendments" filed with the October 9, 2001 reply and found that insertions into Claim 22 were not underlined. Apparently, our word processing software decided to remove the underlines and their removal went unnoticed at the time of filing the Amendment.

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Pursuant to the Examiner's suggestion, enclosed is an accurate copy of the "Attachment for Claim Amendments" to correct this oversight. Applicant apologizes for any inconveniences incurred by the Examiner.

Respectfully submitted,

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